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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 14 May 2009 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

a) ☐ entered.

b) ☐ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.

c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.

d) ☒ disapproved. See explanation below.

e) ☐ entered in part. See explanation below.

The 312 amendment filed on 5/14/2009 has been disapproved because the proposed amendments made regarding claims 6 and 8 change the scope of those claims. Confirmation was made by Mr. Stephen Ford in a phone conversation with Monica Pyo that took place on 5/18/2009.

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